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BEFORE THE BOARD OF PATENT APPEALS AND INTERFERENCES

Ex parte: BRADFORD J. DUFT and ORVILLE G. KOLTERMAN

Appeal 2009-004999 Application 08/870,762 Technology Center 1600

Mailed: December 14, 2009

Before Merrell C. Cashion, Jr., Resource Administrator.

ORDER DISMISSING APPEAL

On May 12, 2008, Appellants filed a Notice of Appeal. On October 20, 2009, Appellants filed a Request for Continued Examination (RCE) under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114. The RCE will be treated as a request to withdraw the appeal.

Accordingly, the appeal in this application is dismissed.

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If there are any questions pertaining to this Order, please contact the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences at 571-272-9797.

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